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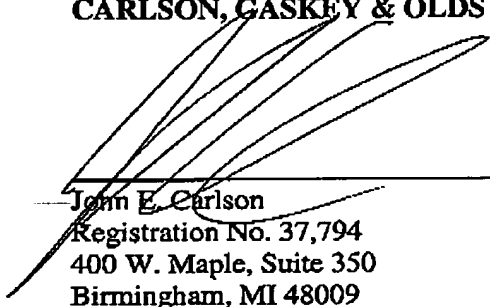
REMARKS

In a telephone interview on December 27, 2005, the Examiner agreed that the withdrawn claims 17-21 would be directed to the elected invention if the preamble were amended as above. The Examiner also agreed that the claims as amended above would distinguish the previously-cited references.

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